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GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

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One week, commencing

Monday, July 25th

THE MOST MARVELOUS

PERFORMANCE

OF THE CENTURY.

PROF. BARTHOLOMEW'S EQUINE PARADOX

PRESENTED BY

20-EDUCATED HORSES—20

ILLUSTRATING THE

PERFECTION OF ANIMAL INTELLIGENCE,

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BEAUTIFUL AND NOVEL EFFECTS

never before produced by any other performance

of its kind.

See seats now on sale. "35

WASHINGTON GARDEN

TRIC FARM & ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS.

—THIS IS THE—

—LARGEST OSTRICH FARM—

Forty Magnificent Birds, from 18 months to 10

years old, always on view; also a large collection

of other birds and animals.

TRIC FARMING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

PROMENADE CONCERT

By MARY JONES, pianist.

Every Sunday afternoon. Open daily.

mission. Twenty-five and Ten Cents.

The Main-street car stop at the Opera.

CRAWFORD & FOX, Props.

BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG

CYCLAMEN!

Open daily from 10 A.M. to 6 P.M., and from 7:30

to 9:00 P.M. every evening. Take the South Main-

street cars to the immense Pavilion especially

erected to exhibit this decisive battle of the late

war. Take your opera glasses.

To Let.

To Let—Rooms.

0 LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, 451 S.

Main st., between Fifth and Sixth. Two fur-

nished rooms, on suite or separate, for sleep-

ing and sitting only. Bathroom and gas in the

room. Apply at 451 S. Main st.

0 LET—A FINE LARGE WELL-

lighted front room on third floor of Times

block. Apply at 451 S. Main st.

0 LET—A FIRST-CLASS FIRST-

floor front room, with bath, at 608 S. Hill st.,

to right of gentleman's office.

0 LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, northeast

corner Main and Laurel sts.; one

room of Pico st.

0 LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED

rooms for gentlemen at 109 N. Fort st., near

Pico st.

0 S. FORT ST. HELENA HOUSE

many rooms newly furnished; breakfast

table; three furnished rooms for

housekeeping. No. 18 Market st.; \$25 month.

0 LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT

room, at 111 W. First st., near corner Main

and Olive sts.

0 WEST SECOND—FURNISHED

rooms, on suite or single; new house.

0 LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED

rooms for gentlemen, 164 South Hill st.

0 LET—HANDSOMELY-FUR-

nished front room, 127 N. Fort st.

To Let—Rooms.

0 LET—LODGING HOUSE OF 35

rooms, shower bath, with basement. OGLE

& EAMES, 28 S. Spring.

0 LET—HOUSE, 3 ROOMS, ON FIRE-

man street, near Temple. Call next house.

To Let—Miscellaneous.

0 LET—DESK-ROOM TO RENT—

ground floor, Main st., call on HAWKEYE

block.

0 LET—DESIRABLE OFFICE, IN IN-

terior room, 18 University Bank block.

For Exchange.

0 EXCHANGE—FOR LOS ANGE-

les city of country, the finest of the kind

in Iowa, under a high state of cultivation,

house, barn and corral; 100 acres of waste land on it.

100 acres for place with all its improvements.

MAN & SHURT, 134 West First st.

0 EXCHANGE—A SQUARE GRAND

plano, one of the finest will trade for a lot of

horses and buggy. SHERMAN & SHURT, 134 W.

First st.

0 EXCHANGE—WE HAVE SOME

exchanged city lots to exchange for ranch or

For Sale.

For Sale—City Property.

FOR SALE—BY LONG & STEEDMAN,

211 N. Main.

12x17, very choice lots near Aliso ave., \$1000.

24x28, corner lot, south on 4th, \$1000.

41x17, Victor, corner, business property, \$1000.

17x18, industrial tract, corner, \$200.

25x10, Judson tract, corner, \$1000.

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Over \$5,000,000 Worth Changed

Monday's real-estate review for last week was crowded out of yesterday's Times, and is given below. The alleged summaries given by contemporaries are entirely inaccurate and ridiculous.

On Monday there were 12 transfers for a nominal consideration; 42 under \$1000, aggregating \$21,000; 45 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$40,000; 19 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$87,770; 11 over \$10,000, aggregating \$87,330; total, 114, aggregating \$306,701.

On Tuesday there were 18 transfers for a nominal consideration; 42 under \$1000, aggregating \$18,800; 41 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$94,515; 8 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$87,770; 11 over \$10,000, aggregating \$87,017; total, 139, aggregating \$317,402.

On Wednesday there were 11 transfers for a nominal consideration; 41 under \$1000, aggregating \$18,883; 42 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$95,922; 9 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$87,770; 11 over \$10,000, aggregating \$86,938; total, 111, aggregating \$319,523.

On Thursday there were 6 transfers for a nominal consideration; 40 under \$1000, aggregating \$20,407; 56 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$130,000; 8 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$87,301; 6 over \$10,000, aggregating \$100,570; total, 110, aggregating \$338,278.

On Friday there were 19 transfers for a nominal consideration; 44 under \$1000, aggregating \$20,438; 54 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$130,000; 10 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$87,301; 6 over \$10,000, aggregating \$86,933; total, 139, aggregating \$334,772.

On Saturday there were 7 transfers for a nominal consideration; 39 under \$1000, aggregating \$17,585; 62 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$97,470; 14 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$86,815; 7 over \$10,000, aggregating \$84,325; total, 122, aggregating \$316,295.

Totals for the week: 71 transfers for a nominal consideration; 300 under \$1000, aggregating \$117,797; 300 between \$1000 and \$5000, aggregating \$737,313; 63 between \$5000 and \$10,000, aggregating \$447,000; 47 over \$10,000, aggregating \$473,919; total, 738 transfers, aggregating \$1,816,030.

An Agreeable Surprise.

(Detroit Free Press.)

"Here, you boys!" he called to half-a-dozen negro white washers as he came out of the city vegetable market with a maternalism in his arms.

The men gathered around him immediately, and he continued:

"Take this melon as a present from me and retire to some shady spot to discuss it. As you devour it remember that honesty and industry are certain to be rewarded."

It was handed to the old patriarch of the clan, and the crowd retired to an alley off Bates street with fond anticipation. When the knife was used the melon turned out to be as green as cucumber, and one of the disappointed men asked:

"Reckon dat white man knowed it?"

"Sah!" replied the patriarch, as he held up the "plug" to view. "dis proves dat he knowed it all the time. When he spoke about industry I spected he had dosed de melon wid jalap. When he got along to honesty I reckoned he had loaded it wid dynamite. It turns out dat he only picked out de greenest one he could find, an' we will now thank de Lawd and pitch in."

Mrs. Astor's Funded Dog, Grif.

(New York Letter.)

The dog and cattle shows here have inspired some light-headed young women with a craze for animals that is simply a lunacy. It is said that all the prizes won by Mrs. Astor's thoroughbred pug, Grif, amounting in all to some \$1700, have been carefully invested, and he is probably the only funded dog in this city. Two dog parties have been given here lately, when written invitations in the name of some pet of all the dogs of the acquaintance were sent. The drawing-room was given up to these fashionable animals, and their masters and mistresses devoted themselves to instituting romps over the furniture by dogs, who finally went down to the dining-room and sat at the table with dinner-cards at their places and several courses of their favorite food served to them. This week a cat party of the same nature was given.

Not Very Encouraging.

(New York Sun.)

He told her of his love in words as fervid as his could, and was feverishly awaiting her reply.

"How old are you, Mr. Sissy?" asked the girl, in a low, sweet tone.

"I'm—ah—19."

"Well, the idea of a little tot like you talking love!"

His Military Record.

(Philadelphia Press.)

The effort to convert the Grand Army of the Republic into a bodyguard for the administration has been abandoned. This colossal and picturesque failure constitutes Grover Cleveland's entire military record.

If President Cleveland will send the hot-wave flag South—together with the weather they portend—and keep them there, he will hear no protests from the North.—Norristown Herald.

Santa Barbara Lands.

A first-class opportunity is offered the right parties to form a syndicate to purchase a tract of land six miles from Santa Barbara, lying on the ocean, upon which a railroad station has been established, to lay out a town and villa site and dispose of it at a large advance on the present boom in that county. For particulars, call at the Times counting-room.

Sleeping in the Hall.

As was expected there came a rush of people to the office of the California Co-operative Colony, beginning Monday morning, to procure certificates for the selection of lots in Clearwater. Several parties slept in the hall Sunday night. Certificates can still be had, free of charge. Sale will begin July 25th. Rooms 3 and 4, Newell block.

Burbank improvements—Street railways and buildings to be built: By a resolution passed by the board of directors, a street railway is to be commenced on Olive avenue, and completed as soon as possible; also, ten more buildings, to be commenced and completed as soon as men and material can be provided—as the demand for buildings is far in excess of the supply.

Hicks & Smith's Second Addition Went on sale Saturday noon, the 23d inst., and in less than one hour twenty-three lots were sold. Reason: They are selling them from \$200 to \$300 per lot cheaper than lots are now selling half a mile further south. Call at their office, No. 34 North Spring street, and be convinced.

Alhambra.

Opening sale a grand success. Nearly half the lots sold. A few more gift-edged lots on the main street for \$50, worth \$100. See advertisement. Ben E. Ward, A. L. Teale.

Subscription books of the Los Angeles Building and Loan Association now open at Childress Safe Deposit Bank, 37 S. Spring, and at office of W. B. Scarborough, 328 N. Main st.

Last Week

—at—

Rosecrans.

Lots \$100 each.

See John P. P. Peck's

Advertisement of cheapest bargains in

Waterloo lots are selling rapidly. Call at once if you want a choice location on the West End hills.

E. C. Burlingame, grading contractor, is the most reliable man in the business in the city.

Save your money and buy a lot at New Ver-

ma. Lots at your own price.

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Main office, No.

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FIRST AND MAIN

STREETS.

Branch office, No.

249 N. Main street,

in St. Elmo Ho-

tel. Telephone

No. 15. P. O. Box

No. 1821.

Lot on First st., head of Geary st., 50x

135x; good house, etc.; a bargain; per

foot, 225

Lot on First st., head of Geary st., 50x

135x; good house, etc.; a bargain; per

foot, 200

Lot on Beeson st., Arlington tract, 24x

60x; alley, Fairview tract, 3,500

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Nadeau Vineyard Land Co.

E. BOUTON, President. JOHN BREYSON, Sr., Vice President
JOHN T. REDICK, Treasurer. WM. WHITE, Secretary.

CAPITAL STOCK - - - - - \$1,200,000

12,000 Shares of \$100 each.

The company is now fully organized and

ready for business; \$400,000 of the stock is

offered for investment, and is being rapidly

taken by home capitalists.

This grand domain is only 2½ miles south of

the corporate limits of Los Angeles, and com-

prises 254 acres of the best land in Southern

California, 233 acres of which is in healthy

and profitable vineyards. A branch of the

Southern Pacific Company's railway to San

Pedro passes along the west side of the land,

and the Santa Ana or San Diego branch of the

same company passes through the tract from

west to east. The Ballona branch of the Cal-

ifornia Central passes along the northern

boundary, while the San Diego branch will

pass through the tract for two miles on the

northerly portion of the rancho. These re-

markable railroad facilities make the land es-

pecially valuable for manufacturing purposes.

Subscriptions for Stock are now being

taken at the Offices of

Francisco, Stuart & Okey

120 West First Street, and

A. W. Barrett & Comp'y,

No. 6 Court Street.

Excursion to San Pedro

—TO ATTEND—

BYRAM & POINDEXTER'S

Grand Credit Auction Sale!

OF SIXTY CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS,

Thursday, July 28, 1887.

THIS BEAUTIFUL PROPERTY, BEING JUST OPPOSITE THE RAIL-

road depot, on the high elevation, has a commanding view of the beautiful San Pedro

bay and harbor. Nothing to compare with this ocean view.

Train leaves Commercial-street depot at 9:30 a.m.; returning train leaves San Pedro at 3

p.m. Fare, round trip, \$1. Water piped to every lot.

See descriptive list. Only sixty lots to be sold. Title perfect. For further particulars call

on

Byram & Poindexter,

27 WEST FIRST ST., LOS ANGELES.

H. H. MATLOCK & SON, AUCTIONEERS.

C. C. C. Clearwater.

C. C. C. California

C. C. C. Co-operative

C. C. C. Colony.

Town Lots and 10-acre Tracts on Very

Easy Terms.

CLEARWATER is the "coming town" of the Los Angeles Valley, located

in the Co-operative Colony tract. Fertile soil, ocean breezes, picturesque sur-

roundings, artesian water piped to every lot, contiguity to the city, etc. The

Pasadena, Los Angeles & Long Beach Railroad will run through the town.

Over 200 small farms in this vicinity have already been sold. Secure a town

lot or some acre property.

Call at rooms 3 and 4, Newell block, West Second street, Los Angeles.

NOTICE!

McGARRY TRACT

Corner Ninth and Alameda Streets.

All lots left unsold WILL BE ADVANCED IN PRICE NEXT WEEK

Save money by securing your lots immediately in this magnificent property,

covered with grapevines and orange trees. Near the new passenger depot of

the Southern Pacific Railway Company.

Centrally located. Perfectly level. Fine views. Between projected

street-car line on Central avenue and cable-car line on Alameda street.

LOW PRICES! EASY TERMS!

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DAILY AND SUNDAY, per week	\$.20
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500 copies	20.00
1000 copies	35.00

Agents and newsdealers should order early, before the edition is exhausted.

MISSISSIPPI officers killed a negro preacher yesterday.

CALIFORNIA fruits are cutting a large figure in the Eastern markets.

More victims of the Topolobampo rascality have escaped, and are working their way home to Denver.

AND now comes the country round about Wilmington to corral its share of the boom. Its name is WALTERIA.

A SANTA CRUZ young man knew it was loaded. There is now one thing in his brain that is not soft. It is the bullet.

THE Connecticut River is on a bender. It is a quiet, rural stream ordinarily, but apt to be a holy terror when it rises in its might.

Thus will be an interesting day in the courts. The most vivid interest of all centers in the Perkins-Baldwin case, in which there promises to be some lively fun.

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MCGARGLE, the boss boulder, Chicago's Boss Tweed, has escaped. The bondsmen of the Sheriff, who let him get away, should be made to "pungle up," and the Sheriff should be given a chance to get a job as horse-car driver.

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The Los Angeles Board of Trade is proving its superior alertness by trying to get the National Soldiers' Home, for which Congress made an appropriation, located near that city. Los Angeles has enlisted the support of Gen. Miles, who now has his headquarters there, and of some of the other army officers, but the choice of a site will be made by a board of officers who will come out from Washington for that purpose during the month of September. Other towns have a good chance to secure the Home as Los Angeles has, if they are ready to offer equal inducements. Six hundred acres of good land will be needed for the Home, and it must be convenient to a railroad. There is being talk in Los Angeles about making the Government a present of the whole 600 acres which will be needed, from which it will be seen that the people down there mean business. It would be quite like their enterprise to do this, and the parties making the gift would probably be smart enough to turn it to a business advantage, by making the location of the home the occasion for laying out the town and selling several hundred lots at prices which would reimburse them for their apparent generosity. This could be done very easily, as a National Soldiers' Home on this coast will be a great attraction. A good many thousands of veterans have come to California since the war, and more will come, the climate here being a great attraction to them, and in process of time the home will be completely inhabited by 1500 or 2000 persons, which would be a first-class nucleus for a town. The extensive grounds around the Home would, according to custom, be laid out in gardens and lawns, making beautiful resort for visitors and would increase the attractions of the neighborhood as a place for rural homes. What Los Angeles is doing about this matter it is open for Oakland to do. A location on one of the railroads leading out of this city could be chosen, 600 acres donated to the Government, and the liberality made profitable by selling off the adjacent land for town lots. All that is needed is an operator with money and enough to carry the project through.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Sir Charles Dilke is to visit this country next month.

Queen Victoria and the Pope are personally acquainted. They first met at Brussels.

Adj.-Gen. Drum is reported in failing health, and is expected to leave for England in a few days.

Ex-Governor Curtin says his own life was threatened much more than was Jefferson Davis.

Mr. John G. Whittier has never been further than Washington from his home in Amesbury, Mass.

The only female station agent on the Grand Trunk line is Miss Lilly McFarlane, a lady and a hustler.

Herr Krupp's greatest achievement in cannon-making was the 125-ton gun he turned out for Italy. His works average 1000 tons of steel a day.

Count di Marifiori, son of King Victor Emmanuel, is one of the greatest winners of Italy. His vineyards at Luca cover nearly 7000 acres.

Mme. Modjeska's great desire is to make enough money to enable her to lead a life of elegant leisure on her California ranch. She is weary of changing courts and homes.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett is now on her third visit to England, which she left when 14 years of age. She receives much distinguished attention from noble and literary lions and lionesses.

The Princess Louise is a woman of no ordinary nerve and courage. She steered a canoe through some of the roughest shallows of the Restigouche and Cascapedia, climbed perilous peaks at dawn to make sketches at sunrise, and has frequently groomed her own pony upon returning from a ride or a drive.

The Pope's Guard.

Rome Letter.

The Pope, who once ruled all Europe with despotic sway, is now visible master of little more than his own palace. His army, once able to contend with the forces of a nation, now consists of 100 Swiss and Italian guards-breeches of flaming red, yellow, blue, etc., stockings of the same gorgeous hues, jackets ditto, jaunty hats of yellow and red, and feathers in the top of the hats. Why this absurd dress is adhered to nobody knows, and, indeed, the reason d'être of guards at all is a mystery. They have nothing to do, and the only purpose they seem to serve is to excite the curiosity of visitors to the Vatican. The soldiers of Italy, who march up and down the line around St. Peter's and the Vatican, strictly defining the dominions of the Pope, are paid 25 cents a day and live on soup, bread and occasionally salt meat. The gorgeous peacocks of the Pope got 32 cents a day and their many-colored dress thrown in; it will be seen, therefore, that it pays better to be ornamental than useful.

Girls Who Go to See Ball-Games.

[New York Sun.]

More girls have the base-ball craze this season than ever before. At some of the games of the Polo ground there have been upward of 1500 in attendance. They make the grand-stand picturesque with their colored sunshades and bright gowns, and nearly all of them display an active interest in the game. Of course there are here and there in the crowd a few who do not understand the game; they are wives, sisters, or sweethearts of men who sacrifice business and the privileges of a vacation to the sport. In one case at least a young enthusiast had brought his mother to the grounds to see the game he so much admired, and with splendid patience he explained the various points in the play as they occurred, informed her when she stepped to the plate, and actually came near making the old lady believe that she was enjoying herself.

The Base-Ball Editor Trics His Hand.

[Springfield Union.]

If the effete dynasties of Europe would disband their armies, form first-class base-ball nines and institute a grand round of championship games, we should be willing to bet that they would have less trouble in governing the people and a great deal more money at the end of the season.

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The Escape Effected During a Visit to the Convict's Former Home.

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CHICAGO, July 24.—[By The Associated Press.] W. J. McGarigle, the convicted boodler, has escaped. Today every policeman and detective in Chicago were trying vainly to find the former Chief of Police of the city. Telegrams have been sent all over the country in the hope of heading him off, but notwithstanding these efforts toward his recapture little hope is entertained that he will ever again be in the custody of the people at whose unlawful expense he thrives for years.

HOW HE ESCAPED.

Last evening Sheriff Mattison took McGarigle to his residence, and while there the prisoner asked permission to take a bath. He was permitted to enter the bathroom and to close the door. In a few moments the Sheriff called for the prisoner, but the bird had flown.

RAD FOR HIS BONDSMEN.

Although McGarigle was in the custody of the Sheriff on the case for which he was tried and convicted, he was still under bonds of over \$60,000 on twenty other indictments. His bondsman is McDonald and a prominent merchant, E. J. Lehman. This evening State's Attorney Grinnell declared unqualifiedly that his bondsman were yet liable, and in case McGarigle is not recaptured his bonds would be forfeited.

WAS HE KIDNAPPED?

A novel theory to explain the disappearance of McGarigle was quite generally discussed this evening. The idea was nothing less than that McGarigle had been kidnapped. His former companions in the boodler-ring were the persons suspected of making away with him. The motive ascribed is fear that McGarigle, who they undoubtedly knew was negotiating with the State's attorney, would make such disclosures as beyond peradventure would send all the indicted commissioners to the penitentiary, and also involve persons not in office, but of infinitely greater importance than those yet brought to task. The States attorney acknowledged tonight that the sticking point in the conference between himself and McGarigle was the refusal of the latter to say that he would give information implicating Mike McDonald. To bear out the kidnapping theory, attention was called to numerous suspicious circumstances, slight in themselves, but the greatest stress is laid on the fact that to be recaptured means to McGarigle a rigorous prosecution on the twenty-one additional indictments, while a disclosure such as described, guaranteed him freedom and no risk except from the anger of his associates.

THE ESCAPE WELL PLANNED.

Information that State's Attorney Grinnell could not keep an engagement which he made with McGarigle, was, it seems, communicated to McGarigle before 6:30 p.m. McGarigle was deeply disappointed, and pleaded with the sheriff to be taken home anyhow. Chief Clerk Dougherty would be there, he said, to make a final settlement of the ex-warden's accounts. Dougherty was not at McGarigle's residence, and tonight denied having had an appointment with him. This fact, coupled with the statement of neighbors that a horse and buggy were waiting last night near McGarigle's house, tend to confirm the belief that matters were arranged. As the residence is within fifteen minutes' ride of the pier at Evanston, where a tug might easily have been taken, the inference is drawn in some quarters that McGarigle is afloat on Lake Michigan, safe on his way to the Straits of Mackinac.

Another Marble Mine.

[Colton Spec-Tropic.]

Lately there has been opened in the side of "Old Baldy," the mountain which cuts off San Bernardino Valley from the desert, a ledge of marble, so sure and hard that it can be called nothing but statutory marble.

A party of Colton gentlemen yesterday accompanied the principal owner, Mr. Siliman, to the ledge, and came back last evening very enthusiastic over the find.

The ledge maintains a width of fifty feet throughout a length of fifteen hundred feet. It is distinctly marked a northwest and southeast direction. The wide and almost level cañon runs from the valley into the mountain. On the side of this cañon the quarry is found. The access is easy and a track could be constructed for either the California Central or the San Gabriel valley railroads, or from both, forming a short line "cut off" through the mountain. Now an excellent tramway leads to the quarry.

A part of the stone is the pure white marble so much sought by sculptors. Samples have been taken from the ledge to Los Angeles and San Francisco dealers, and they have pronounced it fully equal to the Vermont marble, which is worth \$1.75 per cubic foot. A portion of the ledge shows the stone to be mottled with blue and black. For this stone \$1.50 cubic foot has been offered. The marble is that of the finest quality.

A company is being formed to develop the quarry. Colton men are very interested in the project. The quarry is about ten miles north of Colton.

Logan Demand for a Hog Law.

[Sulphur Springs (Tex.) Enterprise]

he hogs of the town have entirely much personal liberty. It is no uncommon thing to see a hog lying on doorsteps of business houses, sun-roosting up the sidewalks before noon opens in the morning. We are in allowing the hog the full sure of liberty that is consistent the rights of others; but when an hog brings all her pigs into a man's yard without his consent and fuses children, and eats up the door mat, are constrained to ask, have our rights that should be red.

How a Darkey Plowed His Corn.

[Citra (Fla.) Era.]

Job Sutton is a colored man who has been living for some years in the spring said Sutton went to Douglass for help in order to a crop. Mr. Douglass let him a horse for this purpose. He broke thirty acres of land, planting corn acres in corn, seven in cotton the remaining five acres in peas. The understanding was he was to feed the horse well. Two months ago his corn out. He worked the horse the day and turned him feed at night on what he might find. By this method the horse lost flesh, and about three ago Mr. Douglass heard that his horse was on the list, so he sent him back home to die. Well, point of economy is just here. I found myself without a horse corn needed one more plowing.

The middle was not thrown out of his cotton, and looking around he ascertained that he had three little boys, one about 9 years of age, one about 11, and the oldest about 13. He took a six-inch twister and hitched up these three boys, putting the little fellow in the lead. He would plow them until it grew hot, and then allowing the little fellow to lay down and rest, would then hitch himself up and let the boys plow him. In this way he plowed his corn, four furrows, and threw the middle out of his cotton—twenty-five acres in all. The horse did not die.

A Wise Suggestion.

[Pioneer Press.]

Let the people of Utah commend his constitution put away polygamy in fact for five or ten years, and then apply for admission on the ground of what has been done in good faith. Instead of relying upon professions whose good faith the very language of the professors casts into doubt.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

A Newspaper War in Paris Over an Alleged Plot to Overthrow the Government—Notes From Abroad.

By Telegram to The Times.

PARIS, July 24.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] M. Cassagnac, publishes a flat denial of the story that eighty-four generals proposed a coup d'etat to Gen. Boulanger, and challenges La France to publish their names. La France asked Gen. Ferron's permission to publish the names. After denying the story, M. Cassagnac printed an article headed "Coward, Liar, etc." The result is that M. Laur, admitting himself to be the author of the original letter referring to the matter, has challenged M. Cassagnac to fight a duel. La Justice considers the letter of too small consequence to be worthy of attention, and expresses the opinion that too great liberties have been taken in twisting words uttered by Gen. Boulanger. La France is now backing out of the affair.

EDITOR O'BRIEN ON THE LAND BILL.

LONDON, July 24.—An interview was held today with William O'Brien, member of Parliament and editor of United Ireland, on the subject of the Irish Land Bill. O'Brien said that the first effect of the measure would be to bankrupt and destroy a majority of the landlords in Ireland, and the next effect would be to destroy the Government which had purchased office with concessions destructive to the Conservative party. After a bitter struggle of six months, he said, the Ministry had adopted Parnell's bill, and it was the plan of the campaign that had forced them to pursue their present course.

THE CHURCHES ACT ENFORCED.

DUBLIN, July 24.—The counties of Cork, Limerick, Kilkenny, Tipperary, Waterford, Donegal and Monaghan have been proclaimed.

LONDON, July 24.—The Daily News says:

"The Dublin proclamation surprised even those who believed in the least in the fairness of the present Irish government."

THE CHESS TOURNAMENT.

FRANKFORT, July 24.—In the chess tournament yesterday evening Beerdien defeated Schallap, Blackburn beat Burn, Fauchel beat Paulsen and Weiss beat Burn. Drawn games were played between Arapin and Paulsen, Berger and Mackenzie, Gottschell and Schillers and Non and Weiss.

BULGARIA WANTS INDEPENDENCE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 24.—News received here indicates that Bulgarians are about to proclaim their independence.

NOTES.

LONDON, July 24.—A heavy storm has passed over Switzerland, doing great damage to crops in Lucerne.

Calcutta, July 24.—All on board the steamer Mahatma, which foundered off Hooley Point, were saved except six, including the chief engineer.

Mrs. Cleveland's Antique Room.

[Washington Critic.]

About a year ago Mrs. Cleveland conceived the idea of arranging a room at Oak View in the style which she remembered to have seen in the house of her grandmother in Wyoming county, N. Y., a number of years ago. She at once wrote to her relative, Mrs. Cushman, who lives at Cowlesville, N. Y., and asked her if she could reproduce a rug carpet of the design which covered the floor of her grandmother's room. Mrs. Cushman replied that she would try to do so, and at once set to work tearing rags into strips, coloring them and preparing them for the weaver. The carpet was finished some time last winter, and is a combination of the "hit and miss" and "fancy stripe" varieties. It was sent on to Washington some months ago. The room, by the way, will be a very unique affair, and Mrs. Cleveland intends to produce, as near as possible, a room such as served as parlor or drawing-room in the last generation. There is to be a spinning-wheel in one corner, the fireplace, is to be decorated with a pair of old-fashioned andirons, and there will be all the paraphernalia which went to make up the interior decoration of a country parlor. It will be distinctly an American room. There is no doubt that the example set by the first lady of the land will lead to the adoption of a rag carpet "fad" among some of our fashionable people.

Patching It Right Up.

[Baltimore in Brooklyn Eagle.]

"Strangely," said the gentleman from North Carolina, as the train whirled toward New York, "I perceive, sah, that you ah a Nothe'n man; can you'll oblige me with a morsel of soft eatin' tobacco?" The fine-cut was promptly handed out. "And now, sah, if you ah through with the nothin' papah, sah, might I just look at it for a few miles?" His companion was only too glad. "And now, sah, if you'd just oblige me by lettin' me have the seat next to the window, so that I can use the surrounding country and the fertile Jersey landscape as a cuspidor, sah, I can ask nothing moah. Thank you, sah, you'll ain't one of them that carries on a traffic in sectional hate and a betrayal of patriotic sentiment, sah. If all men was just as much for givin' as you are, sah, and all othah men was as much gettin' as I am, sah, white-winged peace would brood ova these heah United States like a pure dove on a nest of squabs, sah."

A Sectional Issue.

[Chattanooga Commercial.]

A New York egg dealer says Southern hen fruit is much smaller than the Northern article, for the reason that there are more game chickens in the South. We hope the Democratic editors will not treat this as a sectional issue.

He Reminds Us.

[New York World.]

In a published interview Mr. Henry Watterson says: "I tell you Cleveland is the apostle of common sense and a mighty crafty politician. Yet indeed. In these particulars he reminds us very much of Mr. Watterson."

Mrs. Langtry Can Now Sympathize.

[Chambersburg Valley Spirit.]

The newspapers say "Mrs. Langtry is tired." We rejoice, for it's time to divide. Her audience have had too big a share of this tiredness.

TRIFLES OF THE TIMES.

Hartford Courant: Perhaps another reason why Mr. Cleveland is out of sorts with the old soldiers is because of his unpleasant experiences with his late substitute.

There are several ways of making a bustle—of newspapers, of wire, or other material. But the largest sized and most complete bustle is made by the small boy who lets a live rat loose in a sewing bee.

Mamma (to Walter, who has just returned from his first experience with a fishing-rod)—What, back so soon? Walter—Yes, 'm; I thought I'd come home. The worms were so nervous I couldn't get 'em on the hooks.

Farmer Wayback—I want to see your boss, Office boy—Have you a card, sir? Farmer Wayback—Now you go 'long, yep little upstart, an' tell yer boss I want see him. Ye can't come no three-card-monte games on me; I've read the papers, an' I'm posted.

Little, but Great.

The small woman has a contrivance for getting even with the world. She wears springs on the soles of her boots, so a shoemaker of New York relates, and he added that he had had calls for six or eight pairs within two weeks. The boots are arranged as for everyday pedestrianism, but furnished with an invisible wire frame that is disposed of in a variety of ways, but usually lies close about the toe and heel when not wanted, slipping down to furnish a stilt for the foot in any case of need. The little woman has been acknowledged always an ingenious creature, and now that she has fairly set her wits at work remedying the shortcomings of nature you may expect to meet her on the street adjusting her inches comfortably according to the attractions that demand to be seen.

Slang Phrases.

Some sayings that are commonly called "slang," instead of being the inventions of these rather slangy modern times, have an origin that is both "ancient and honorable."

The expression, "He's a brick," is said to have been originated by the Spartan King Agesilaus, who, on a certain, pointing to his army, said: "They are the walls of Sparta. Every man there is a brick."

With such a meaning every boy and girl might be glad to be called a "brick," and it is well to remember, too, that "a stone that is fitted to the wall will not lie long in the road." Fit yourself for a high position in the wall time is building, and you will sooner or later find yourself fitted into the place you can best fill.

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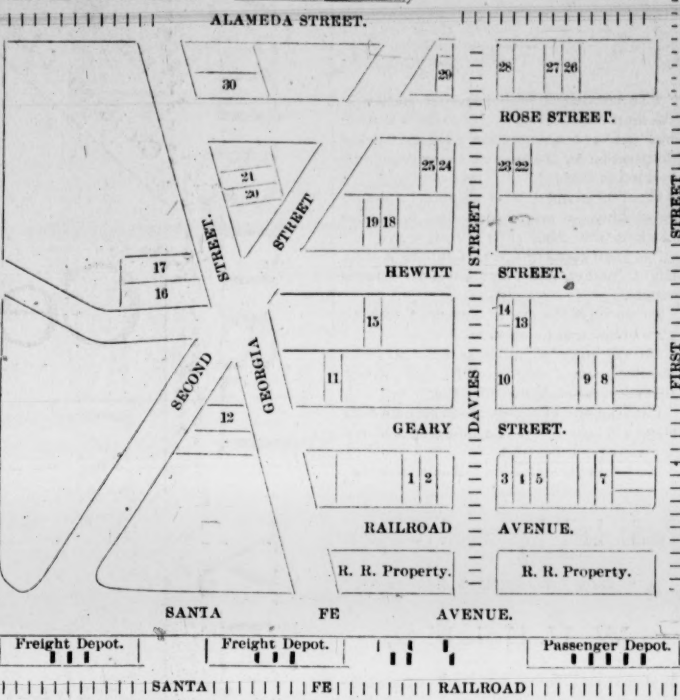
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OUR BOOM.

AN UP-COUNTRY OPINION OF ITS STAYING POWERS.

Frank Pitley Experiences a Change of Heart, and Says Some Sensible Things About Southern California—Just Entering Its Career."

[Argonaut.]

What has caused the boom in southern lands is not so important as the question whether the demand for land property will continue. It is our judgment that this immigration is not likely to decrease in volume, nor suddenly to come to an end. Our country has more than 60,000,000 people; money is very abundant, and has already accumulated beyond the power of its owners to safely invest, except at a very low rate of interest; savings bank deposits are not averaging 4 per cent.; Government bonds cannot be purchased to return 3 per cent.; money in large sums upon call can be had in New York at 2 per cent. per annum, and in London, Frankfurt and Amsterdam at even lower rates. Social disturbances in Europe are directing emigrants and money to this country. Climate and other considerations have turned the attention of our own people to California, and we can find no reason that justifies us in thinking that the land operations of Southern California are not based upon rational foundations, and that the southern counties now luxuriating in this delightful craze may not reasonably hope to indulge themselves in its prolonged—perhaps not indefinite—continuance. Southern California below the thirty-fifth parallel of latitude is a delightful climate, is fertile in soil, is healthful. Its ocean coast is attractive, and its interior valleys are salubrious. Its mountain ranges carry their soils to a considerable elevation, and in every respect, except for water, there is but little to desire. In the counties of Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, San Diego, and the large part of San Bernardino, there is not the abundance of water that is found in the northern portions of the State. In San Diego and San Bernardino there are larger areas of desert than elsewhere, whose future is only dependent upon water; yet, so far as surface indications go, water does not exist in great quantities. This region of our State abounds in mines of gold and silver; it abounds in quarries of marble and choice building stones; it has inexhaustible lime, but no coal; while it has one almost perfect harbor—viz., that of San Diego—it has so quiet an ocean coast that along its entire extent, excellent harbors may be constructed by some assistance from the Government or private corporations. If the time should ever come when, by an unwise policy, it shall be deemed desirable to divide the State, these southern counties will possess all the essentials of independent government, and a State could be carved out that would be in most respects self-supporting and self-dependent. In a word, Southern California is a splendid and most attractive country, and is increasing rapidly in population and wealth. It has, in our opinion, but entered upon a successful and prosperous career.

The Highest Authority.

William Hammond Hall, the State Engineer, who has had years of experience in land and water in California, after a full examination of the Rancho Ex-Mission of San Fernando, reports to the owners of the property, the Porter Land and Water Company, as follows: "You have 10,000 to 11,000 acres, and perhaps more, of really first-rate valley lands for cultivation, with soil not to be surpassed for fertility and desirability by those of any section; lying very favorably for irrigation, and in a neighborhood whose climate is well-adapted to the best class of agricultural, horticultural and vineyard productions usual in this country." Mr. Hall has been employed by the company to devise a complete plan for the irrigation of the tract with the waters flowing from San Fernando, Sylmar and Pacoima creeks, and from the immense clematis located upon the ranch, and the public may expect the finest water system in California upon this property. Office, room No. 9, Los Angeles National Bank building, corner First and Spring streets. A man always at San Fernando, with conveyances, to show the property.

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Ice cream every day. Meals served in style. Twenty-one meal tickets, \$4.40; single meal, 25c. Lawyer's block, 25 Temple street.

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THE CHAUTAUQUANS.

SUNDAY'S SERVICES AT "THE PEOPLE'S COLLEGE."

A Large Attendance and Interesting Exercises—Rev. Selah W. Brown's Able Lecture—The World Growing Somewhat Better Than It Used to Be.

The exercises of the Chautauqua Assembly at Long Beach yesterday were very interesting. The devotional conference was held at 9 o'clock, led by Rev. Mr. Culver. At 9:30 o'clock the Sunday-school held its session under the superintendency of Dr. Williams.

Before 10 o'clock the spacious tabernacle was filled to hear Bishop C. H. Fowler, of San Francisco. Some disappointment was felt when it was announced from the platform that the bishop had not arrived. His place was filled, and ably filled, by Rev. Selah W. Brown, of Santa Barbara.

After singing, led by the Young Men's Christian Association orchestra, in which the congregation joined, and prayer by Rev. Mr. Green, presiding elder of Fresno district, Mr. Brown announced as his text, Ecclesiastes, vii, 10: "Say not then what is the cause that the former days were better than these." An abstract of his discourse follows:

Some are always saying there was a golden age somewhere back in the past. This class say the world is growing worse; another class think the world is growing better.

The former see the shadows settling down, shrouding the world in gloom; the latter, see the streaming light filling it with joy and gladness. But the world is the same; the difference is in the persons beholding it. We may make the world look about as we like. If we are determined to see the dark side, shutting our eyes to the light side, it would appear bad enough. The world is very bad. Crime abounds; but if we have the eyes to see, or rather if we use properly the eyes we have, we will find to our great joy, that where "sin abounds, grace doth much more abound."

The speaker then asked, addressing this pessimistic class, when this glorious day of which they speak existed. Was it in the days of Cain, who killed his brother? Of Jeremah, who said: "Oh, that mine head were waters, and mine eyes a fountain of tears," in consequence of the wickedness of the people? Was it in the days of the Saviour, when he exclaimed, in tears: "Oh, Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killed the prophets, and stonest them that are sent unto thee?" Was it during the apostolic age, when the seven churches of Asia relapsed into formalism and downright wickedness? Was it during the period when Constantine was converted and made the Roman Empire a Christian? Was it in the days of Luther when his life was in danger every hour from the rage of ecclesiastical blood-hounds? Was it in the days of Wesley when the most brick-battled and rotten-egged him? Was it 200 years ago, when in the city of Boston, they banished Baptists and whipped and hung Quakers? If not, when was it?

He then proceeded to show in what respects the world, as he saw it, was growing better. Cruels are honest, but they don't stop to consider the facilities of this day for spreading the news of every crime committed in the civilized world so we can read it at the breakfast table. The world is growing better. First, there are fewer infidels today than in any period for two hundred years. Thomas Paine, in the infancy of our nation, was poisoning the minds and morals of the people by wholesale. There were ten infidels then in proportion to the population, where there is one now. Today an avowed infidel could not be elected to the presidency of the United States. A hundred years ago there were few Christians in our leading colleges. Today they greatly preponderate. Statistics have shown that in Hartford, Princeton, Yale and other avowed infidel was scarcely ever found.

Men are more honest now than formerly. The speaker read a statement from the United States Senate which he thought should be good authority. Under the presidency of Jackson the country lost by dishonest officials having the handling of public monies to every thousand:

Jackson, \$10; Van Buren, under Florida war, \$21; Harrison, \$10; Polk, \$8; Pierce, \$5; Buchanan, \$7; Lincoln, first term, \$1.50, second term, \$50; Grant, first term, \$40, second term, \$30; Hayes, \$20.

A hundred years ago intemperance was blighting the earth more than today. Ministers and deacons not only drank their champagne, but often got drunk, and nothing was thought of it. Here the speaker read the dinner bill of a church in Hartford, Conn., of an ordination dinner, in which the items for champagne and wine bore a very prominent part.

He spoke of dueling, lotteries, etc., the latter of which were sanctioned in days gone by by the government, and the former by public opinion.

A hundred years ago there were no Sunday-schools, no Young Men's Christian Associations, no asylums for the deaf, the dumb, the blind, no societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals. A hundred years ago there were no bible societies, no missionary societies, no temperance societies, etc.

He asked pessimists what they were doing to make the world better, and closed with a touching incident in which a woman and her daughter saved a train from being engulfed, when a bridge had been washed away, by building a fire at the expense of burning their furniture; illustrating how we may let our light shine. Following is the programme for today:

MONDAY, JULY 25—SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL DAY.
8:30 a.m.—Devotional conference.
9:30 a.m.—Calisthenics.
10:30 a.m.—Chautauqua Normal Union.
10:30 a.m.—Lecture: "Gen. U. S. Grant," Gen. O. O. Howard.
11:30 a.m.—Lecture: "The Preacher in the Parish," Rev. J. M. Harvey.
1:30 p.m.—School of Art and Design.
2:30 p.m.—School of German.
3:30 p.m.—School of French.
4:30 p.m.—School of Spanish.
5:30 p.m.—School of Instrumental Music.
6:30 p.m.—School of Oratory.
7:30 p.m.—Lecture: "The Bible the Prophet of Science," Bishop C. H. Fowler, D.D., L.L.D.

Street Grading.
The contract for grading the streets of CLEARWATER, the Cooperative Colony town, and the tract, has been let, and work will begin early next week. The great sale of lots in the town opens on Monday morning, July 25th, at 9 o'clock, sharp. The lots are large, the town is well located, the prices are low, the terms are easy, and the sale will be one of most notable real-estate transactions of the season.

Come early, for good selections, to the office of the California Cooperative Colony, rooms 3 and 4, Newell block, West Second street.

The public, like the old Jesuits, know a good thing, and are buying up all the acre property and town lots around the Old Mission at San Fernando. The company are building a magnificent hotel and a street-car line, and large sales is the result. The land is steadily rising in value. Splendid soil, fine fruits, no scale-bugs and plenty of water are inducements which few tracts possess.

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No. 1660—Lot in Park Villa tract; \$1500.

No. 1647—Fine lots in Nob Hill tract; \$800 to \$900 per lot.

No. 1646—House of 5 rooms and lot on Hope street; \$3250.

No. 1634—Lot on Hope street, near Sixth street; \$750.

No. 1632—House of 6 rooms on Temple street; \$600.

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Why Planetary Life Varies with the Size of the Planet—Probability That the Universe Contains Varieties of Actual Nature.

[J. A. Proctor in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] May we not—nay, rather, must we not—admit that among the planets within the solar system varieties of actual nature must exist? Is it antecedently likely that the stages of the life of a giant planet, like Jupiter, will resemble in detail those of a planet like our earth—having but 1340th of that giant's mass? And, on the other hand, is it reasonably probable that the stages of our earth's life will resemble those of the moon, which she exceeds in mass more than eighty times? The giant planet, "the terrestrial" planet, the small planet, may all three pass through the same general stages of life. Each may have its growing vaporous stage, its fiery stage, its middle life, when clothed with air and water it is fit to be the abode of living creatures, its old age, and finally its stage of decrepitude and death; much as the elephant, the man and the mouse (nay, the land animal, the bird, the fish, the insect and the mollusk, the animal and the vegetable) have each their infancy, their youth, their middle life, their old age and their death. But precisely as the details of the life-development of elephant, man and mouse are unlike, while those of the life-development of other creatures differ inter se still more, so it is probable that the features of planets of different class are altogether dissimilar.

When this idea has once been suggested, we immediately see that in three important, one may say vital, features, the stages of the life of a larger planet must differ markedly from those of a small one.

For it can be shown readily the smaller planet will have shorter stages of life, smaller gravity, energy at its surface, less water per square mile of surface, and even in more marked degree less air per square mile. Hence, since water and air are the denuding agents, and gravity the force which works them in producing denudation, it follows that with weaker tools, a weaker hand holding them, and less time in which to use them, the smaller planet will accomplish far less denudation on its own surface than the larger. Applying this to the moon, which has but one-sixth the gravity of the earth, the moon would have had probably about one-sixth of the supply of water, and one-third-sixth the supply of air per square mile, while the stages of life would have but one-sixth the duration of the corresponding stages of the earth's life, we see that probably the work of denudation on the moon would be but about 1-8000th part of what has been done on the earth.

Hence we can understand how it is that on the moon the great craters and ray systems extending many hundreds of miles from them remain, which doubtless once existed on the surface of the earth, but have long since disappeared from it. On the moon the processes of denudation were not sufficiently active, and they did not last long enough to remove these great volcanic masses; on the earth there was sufficient power and ample time to remove all traces of such features, and we can in a like manner understand why on the earth great mountain ranges form a much more striking feature than on the moon, for the materials of the older volcanic features of the earth have been used to make the great mountain masses. On the moon the older volcanic masses have not been so used; hence, naturally, there are but few great mountain ranges, and these not comparable with the chief mountain masses of the earth.

Thus, finally, we can study our moon's face, not only to tell us of the probable future of our earth as a dead world, but also to tell us of the past, seeing on the less worn face of our satellite the features which have long since disappeared from the denuded surface of our earth.

Things Every Woman Wants to Know.

Very large fans of painted gauze are fashionable.

Tinsel is again used as a material for hats and bonnets.

Lustrous mohairs are much employed as traveling dresses.

During the summer very open jackets and corsets will be worn with pliations of all imaginable kinds.

Children's dresses are longer-waisted than last season, being made down to the waist line and sometimes slightly below.

A much-favored ornament of the moment consists of necklace of pashment composed of several graduated rows.

When a lady wants a black silk dress that will prove serviceable, she is advised to select as material either faille Franchise or Bengaline silk.

Boxes and baskets of twisted rushes are used for fine confectionary and tied around with ribbons holding a bouquet of grasses on the top.

A favorite corsage for their sheer dresses is the full-belted waist, the fullness of the top being gathered on cords in form of a pointed yoke.

Guimpes for children's low-cut dresses are made of all over embroidery with a fringe around the neck and deep cuffs of embroidery to match.

How the Sultan Lives. (San Francisco Argonaut.) The Sultan, Abdul Hamid, is 38 years old, about the medium height, with dark hair and eyes, swarthy complexion, prominent nose and slender figure. The lower part of his face is covered by a full, black beard. He is an inveterate smoker, and shows his European taste by smoking cigarettes instead of Turkish pipes. His palace surpasses, in beauty and magnificence, the rich descriptions in the "Arabian

Nights." The "hall of jewels" contains a dazzling collection of diamonds, rubies, sapphires, emeralds and other precious stones, heaped in large bins. The immense army of cooks, attendants and others required to keep up the Sultan's large household is a constant drain upon the people. Abdul Hamid's personal expenses are \$50,000,000 (\$10,000,000) a year. His favorite attendant, Kishlar Aga, the black eunuch, receives \$240,000 as his salary, with many rich perquisites. He bears the high-sounding title of Guardian of the Gate of Delights.

VILLAGE HUMORS.

Some of the Odd Sayings and Slips of the Tongue of Our English Cousins. (London Spectator.)

One of our "prayer-leaders" was describing his favorite preacher. "Ah!" said he, "there woz a hinfuence wif him! Just to see him swee (sway) his massy frame, quite ayualbrum!" Another of our local "lights" once besought us to beware of "inundations" in religion. Sheer mispronunciation is unsavory for such errors as "Snatch-acab, King of Assyria," and the "Beery uns" (I suppose Bereans).

A more curious misunderstanding of scripture once convulsed me with laughter. The preacher gave out his text as follows: "Peace with all men, and holiness without, which no man shall see the Lord," and proceeded to divide his subjects into three heads—"holiness without," "holiness within," and "which no man," etc.

Equally diverting, and more practical, was the following instance of unconscious wit, told by the Rev. Mr. B—, a Wesleyan minister of repute. The text was: "And when he came to himself." "We have here, brethren," said the preacher, "an instance of the wonderful depth of meaning there is in Scripture. We see how low this unprincipled young individual had fallen. 'When he came to himself?' What does it mean? Well, look at home. What do we do when our money's gone and we've no credit? What do we turn to? The pawnshop. So did he. First his coat would go. He might live a week on that. Then his waistcoat. That wouldn't serve him long. Lastly, his shirt would follow, and then—ah! then, my friends, he came to himself! He couldn't pawn himself, and so he went home to his father."

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THE BURTON WATER COMPANY
Has opened an office at 44 1/2 South Spring street, room No. 8. Business hours daily from 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Shares in this company can be had by applying to
LEOPOLD COHEN,
Secretary.

Stock Ranch for Rent.

TO RENT, AS A HORSE RANGE, for a term of years, 6000 acres of choice grazing land in Ventura County, near railroad. Address
H. JEVNE,
26 North Spring street, Los Angeles, Cal.

Legal.

An Ordinance

TO PROVIDE FOR THE PROTECTION of bridges in the county of Los Angeles, passed July 16, 1887, by the following vote: Ayes—T. E. Rowan, Oscar Macy, J. W. Yonah, Jacob Ross and W. T. Martin. Nays—None. The Board of Supervisors of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to lead, drive or cause to be placed upon any public bridge in Los Angeles county at any one time more than twenty head of horned cattle, nor more than twenty head of horses or mules, nor more than 250 head of sheep.

Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance, on conviction thereof before any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$50, and in default of the payment thereof, shall be imprisoned in the Los Angeles County Jail one day for every dollar of the fine so imposed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect upon the 1st day of August, 1887, and shall prior to that date be published for one week in the Los Angeles Daily Herald and Los Angeles Daily Times, and in default of the publication thereof, together with the names of the members of this board voting for and against the same.

T. E. ROWAN,
Chairman Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, Cal.
Attest: C. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.

An Ordinance

REQUIRING EACH COUNTY and township officer, and also each road district officer of the county of Los Angeles, to make a monthly report of his official duties to the Board of Supervisors, passed July 16, 1887, by the following vote: Yeas—T. E. Rowan, Oscar Macy, J. W. Yonah, Jacob Ross and W. T. Martin. Nays—None.

The Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county do ordain as follows:

Section 1. All county, township and road district officers of the county of Los Angeles, shall make and file in writing with the clerk of the Board of Supervisors, on the first Monday in each month, a statement of all moneys received by them on account of fines and fees collected, and all moneys coming into their hands from any and all sources whatever, and the disposition of the same, together with a full and complete statement of all their official acts during the month preceding such report.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon the 1st day of August, 1887, and shall prior to that date, be published for one week in the Los Angeles Daily Herald and Los Angeles Daily Times, newspapers published in said county, together with the names of the members of this Board voting for and against the same.

T. E. ROWAN,
Chairman Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county.
Attest: C. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF HENRY N. GALLO—way, deceased.—Notice is hereby given by undersigned, administrator of the estate of Henry N. Gallo, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit to the undersigned their claims, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his office, room 10, Wiley block, 21 West First street, Los Angeles city, Cal., the same being the date of the final settlement of the business of said estate, in said county of Los Angeles.

Administrator of the estate of Henry N. Gallo, way, deceased.
Dated Los Angeles, Cal., this 19th day of July, 1887.

Notice to Water Consumers on the Hills.

THE HOURS FOR SPRINKLING are from 7 to 9 o'clock a.m. and from 5 to 8 p.m. The people living north of Temple street can use water under this rule on the even-numbered days of the month, and those south of Temple street on the odd-numbered days.

That water may be furnished to all, this restriction will be rigidly enforced. For a second violation of this restriction the water will be shut off, and it will be charged before the water will be turned on again.

Dividend Notice.

LOS ANGELES SAVINGS BANK.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD of Directors of this bank, held this day, a dividend at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum on term deposits and at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum on ordinary deposits, for the six months ending this day, was declared payable on and after July 1st. J. V. WACHTEL, Secretary.

Dividend Notice.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD of Directors of the
Los Angeles County Bank,
July 8, 1887, a semi-annual dividend was declared at the rate of eighteen (18) per cent. per annum on the capital stock, being nine (9) dollars per share, payable immediately.

Bank Statements.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
FARMERS & MERCHANTS' BANK,
Of Los Angeles,
At the close of business,
JUNE 30, 1887.

Cash on hand.....\$1,000,000 00
Cash with other banks.....729,000 51
Cash on call.....230,000 00
Cash available.....\$1,959,000 51
U. S. 4 per cent. and other government bonds.....450,888 83
Stocks and warrants.....32,925 61
Loans and discounts.....2,500,000 00
Vaults, and furniture.....2,700 00
Real estate.....2,570 75
\$4,000,000 13

LIABILITIES.
Capital paid up in U. S. gold coin.....\$500,000 00
Surplus.....500,000 00
Undivided profits.....22,906 96
Due depositors.....3,068,581 47
Dividends (uncalled for).....9,140 10
\$4,000,000 13

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Los Angeles,
Isaiah W. Hellman, president, and John Miller, cashier, of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank of Los Angeles, each for himself, swears that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

(Signed) ISAIAH W. HELLMAN, Pres't.
(Signed) JOHN H. MILLER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of July, 1887.

T. E. ROWAN, Notary Public.
LOS ANGELES, CAL., July 9, 1887.

STATEMENT OF THE CAPITAL OF THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS' BANK OF LOS ANGELES, at the close of business, June 30, 1887.

Capital paid up in U. S. gold coin.....\$500,000 00
STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Los Angeles,
Isaiah W. Hellman, president, and John Miller, cashier, of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank of Los Angeles, each for himself, swears that the foregoing statement of the capital paid in is true to the best of their knowledge and belief.

(Signed) ISAIAH W. HELLMAN, Pres't.
(Signed) JOHN H. MILLER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of July, 1887.

T. E. ROWAN, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION
LOS ANGELES COUNTY BANK
July 1, 1887.

ASSETS.
Cash on hand.....\$336,958 51
Cash due from banks.....110,771 75
Total available.....\$447,730 26
Loans.....240,885 74
Loans on call.....130,000 00
Furniture and fixtures.....500 00
\$818,000 00

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock (paid up in gold coin).....\$100,000 00
Reserve fund.....100,000 00
Deposits.....546,770 45
Dividends uncalled for.....348 00
Undivided profits.....33,977 57
\$818,000 00

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Los Angeles, ss.
John E. Plater, President, and Geo. H. Stewart, Cashier, of Los Angeles County Bank, being severally duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

(Signed) JOHN E. PLATER, President.
(Signed) GEO. H. STEWART, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2d day of July, 1887.

T. E. ROWAN,
Notary Public.

Real Estate.

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BARGAINS

In Central and Southern

CALIFORNIA

AND

ARIZONA.

Los Angeles County.

Eighty acres in foothills, in frontless belt, 1500 feet above sea-level, twelve miles from Los Angeles city, in Cold Water Canyon. Forty acres can be plowed; balance can be planted in trees or vines; ten acres of grapes 6 years old on the place; splendid climate and view; a branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad is to run within one mile of the place soon, and a foothill road from Los Angeles to Santa Monica will also be built past the mouth of the canyon. Price \$2000.

One hundred and sixty acres level land in Soledad Canyon, between Newhall and Soledad City, on Main line of Southern Pacific Railroad; a switch on the section, with station to be erected. Price \$1000.

One thousand three hundred acres four miles from Puente, on main line of Southern Pacific Railroad; abundant water-right; good location for a town.

About 600 acres of land, with abundant water-supply, with hotel, postoffice, railroad depot express and railroad ticket-office on the place; also eight pure white-sulphur springs. This place is near Los Angeles, and can be made a fine resort. Price, \$25,000. Terms easy.

Two thousand five hundred acres near Ventura-county line; 700 to 800 acres level, rich and arable; balance low, rolling land, most of which is irrigable and tillable; good water-supply tract bounded on one side by a large running stream, from which any amount of water can be obtained; some timber on the tract; title, United States patent. Price, \$25 per acre.

One thousand and ninety-two acres one mile east of Glendale, six miles from Los Angeles; 150 to 200 acres tillable, sandy loam; 35 acres of orchard; small house. Price, \$30,000.

San Diego County.

One hundred and sixty acres grain land in San Diego county, near Beaumont, one and a quarter miles from railroad depot; four-room house, two barns, sheds and corals; title, United States patent. Price, \$5000.

Kern County.

Twenty-five hundred acres on railroad. Price, \$12,500.
Three thousand acres on railroad; abundant water supply. Price, \$90,000.

Santa Barbara County.

About 700 acres in Santa Inez Valley; 1500 acres level, rich, sandy loam; 2500 acres good vineyard land, sloping; the whole surrounded by living streams of water; springs all over the ranch, which is fenced by a three-board and one-wire fence; 800 bearing grape vines; 1100 assorted fruit trees. Price, \$20 per acre.

Sutter County.

Thirty thousand acres; 10,000 acres rich agricultural land; balance fine grazing land, good for 10,000 head of stock the year round; abundant water; near river and railroad; projected line to run through the place. Price, \$12 per acre.

Contra Costa County.

Twelve thousand acres, twenty miles from San Francisco; 9000 acres farming land; balance grazing land; one hundred springs on the place; \$90,000 worth of improvements. Price, \$10 per acre.

Marin County.

Fourteen thousand acres in Marin county, ten miles from San Francisco, lying between two popular resorts; railroad station near by it; sheltered by a mountain from sea-breeze 2000 acres worth \$500 per acre; 6000 acres grazing land; 3000 acres hill pasture; 1000 acres garden land; 2000 acres mountain land. Price, \$50 per acre.

Monterey County.

Thirty-five thousand acres, with abundance of water, capable of producing almost anything; a valley fifteen miles long and from one to one and a half miles wide lying in the center of it; alfalfa will grow the whole length of the valley, which is watered by a living stream; \$75,000 spent in fencing. Price, \$20 per acre.

City Property for Sale.

Eighty lots in Vernondale.
Forty lots in the Hutchinson tract, Temple street, at end of Temple-street cable-car line.
Fifteen lots in Rosemont tract.
Four business lots on Fort street.
One fine business lot on First street.
Lot 12x150 feet on northwest corner Hill and Pico streets.
Lot 70x125 on Main street.
Lot 60x125 on Main street.
Lot 50x150 on Main street.
Four lots on West Washington street, at end of Washington-street car line.
Two corner lots on Grand avenue.
Forty-three acres on Santa Fe avenue.
Forty-five acres on East Washington street.

Arizona.

Sixty-four thousand acres in Arizona, watered by living streams; near railroad; title good Price, \$2 per acre.

ALVAN D. BROCK

Northwest Corner Second and Main Sts.

NEWELL BLOCK, LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Real Estate.

THE MORAN TRACT

Ninth Street, Between Main and San Pedro.

Close to business center. Five minutes' ride from Postoffice. Fine artesian water, clear and sparkling, piped to each lot, SIX BLOCKS FROM SITE FOR GOVERNMENT BUILDING. Perfect sewerage. Main city sewer passes in front of the property. Situation is not excelled in the city limits. Improvements on all sides in the very best style. Fine lots and choice neighborhood.

Street-car line built; will be in operation in two weeks, from First street to western limits of city. Stone sidewalks will be laid. Fine orange, lemon and walnut trees and grapevines on every lot. Apply to

JOHN P. MORAN, 106 Spring Street.

SEMI-TROPIC LAND COMPANY

Real Estate Bought and Sold and Rents Collected.

106 N. SPRING STREET.....TEMPLE BLOCK.

12 acres on Adams street, highly improved; will subdivide into 60 good lots. Price, \$2000 per acre.
House and lot on Olive street; house of 7 rooms, lot 70x165. A bargain.
107 acres at Anaheim; fine modern residence, hot and cold water all through the house; 8000 winery, cooperage, wine tanks, wagons and farming implements go with the place; place highly improved; vines and trees planted on place; one-half bearing; will pay 10 per cent. on price asked for whole. \$50,000.
Fine residence on Grand avenue; house and highly improved lot, \$2000.
15 acres on Grand avenue; fine house, barn and outhouses; beautiful flowers, plants and shrubs; elegant mansion in neighborhood; \$14,000.
Good residence lots on Olive street. \$5000 to \$8000.
Good business property on Main, Spring and Upper Main, Requena, Los Angeles, Second.

San Pedro and First streets; good bargains. Lots on Grand avenue, extra size; cheap. Elegant mansion, ready for occupancy, at a bargain.
Lots in Daly tract.
107 acres in city limits; house, barn; all of it improved; inside the two-mile circle. \$12,500.
Large tract of land, improved; vines on more than 100 acres of place; best water right goes with land; depot and railroad facilities near place; a special bargain.
Improved farms, orchards and vineyards in all parts of the county at special bargains. Lots and acre property in city.
Best business and residence property in Pasadena.
24 acres on south side Washington; fine site for residences; beautiful residences and lawn in neighborhood; a bargain.

The San Gabriel Valley
LAND AND WATER CO.

Incorporated May 20th, 1887, with a Capital Stock of \$1,600,000, with the following Officers: H. H. Markham, President; L. W. Dennis, Vice-President; E. P. Johnson, Treasurer; A. L. Burbank, Secretary; F. L. Raymond, Superintendent and Manager. Directors: H. H. Markham, L. W. Dennis, C. H. Bradley, F. L. Raymond and N. Vanderlip.

Having recently purchased the famous property known as the Ford, Titus, Gibbs, Ames, Bradbury, Clapp and Howe, more recently known as the Hall and Stillien Tract, have subdivided part of the above-named property into fine business and resident lots, also a great many one-acre villa tracts, and located a new town, East San Gabriel, ten miles from the Plaza, on the Southern Pacific Railroad, in the heart of the San Gabriel Valley. The citizens of Los Angeles City and surrounding country are so well acquainted with the many advantages that East San Gabriel possesses over any other townsite laid out in the county, it will be unnecessary to enumerate the many advantages of the new town. The immense improvements contemplated by the Company consist of laying out San Gabriel Boulevard, about four miles long, running due north and south, connecting Lamanda Park with El Monte road; two other fine avenues crossing the San Gabriel Boulevard at right angles, known as Broadway and Grand Central; building a street-car line, hotel, piping water from the Titus place, which affords an inexhaustible supply, in connection with other improvements. The Southern Pacific Railroad have already given orders to build one of the finest depots in Southern California, warehouses, freight depot, etc. The freight shipment from this point last year being over 44,000,000 pounds, it is most conclusive evidence that it is the place for banks, stores, warehouses, etc., where moneys invested in buildings of this kind will pay large dividends from the start. The property offered for sale, being located on either side of the railroad, makes the whole tract central and accessible to the business portion of the town. The Company now offer the property for sale upon the following liberal terms: One-third cash; deferred payments in one and two years at 8 per cent. per annum.

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY LAND AND WATER CO.,<

LOUISE MICHEL,

THE FAMOUS FEMALE ANARCHIST OF FRANCE.

How She Looks and How She Talks—The Phrases Which Inflammable Parisians Love to Applaud—"Louise, My Saint!"

[Paris Correspondence Buffalo Courier.] Instead of a type of warlike ferocity, Louise Michel is a type of sorrow, poverty and misery. A plain gown of shabby black, a limp and narrow crape veil hanging from a worn bonnet; a face grown old by suffering rather than age; faded and sunken eyes, one of them bearing marks strongly suggestive of a brawl, are the accessories that give the woman the appearance of an oppressed and overburdened widow rather than of a bold and aggressive petroleuse.

As she sits on the platform, waiting for her turn to speak, her hands lie idly in her lap or play absent-mindedly with her chin. The workings, from time to time, of her lips and jaws make one imagine that "Louise, my saint," wears false teeth. When it is her turn to speak she arises quietly and with a certain appearance of dignity. She rests one hand on the table and occasionally gesticulates with the other. That her form is slightly bent is probably caused by her position, her figure being too tall to allow her hand to support her without stooping. She is thin and wiry. Her hair is black, smooth and carefully parted in the middle. Her voice is low and moderate, seldom rising to a tone consistent with the wildness of her words; her language is good and her construction grammatical.

Her speeches are all pretty much the same. She has certain set phrases with which she interlards her remarks, and which the people love to hear and to applaud. Her favorite sentences are: "Long live anarchy!" "Down with the bourgeoisie!" "If war is declared we will march against and destroy the palaces in the St. Germain quarter." "The priests promise you a heaven if you are good, and threaten you with a hell if you are bad. There is nothing of the kind; heaven is here on earth, and you must take it for yourselves; hell is also here, and most of us have our full share of it." "It is not a man we wish to destroy, but the mold in which he is made, that mold being the existing form of society." "All these sentiments," "Louise, my saint," rattles off at one time or another, and her language generally commands complete attention. If anyone is indiscreet enough to attempt a whispered conversation with a neighbor while she is speaking, he is at once reminded by hisses and cries of silence that he is creating a disturbance, and finds it better for his peace of mind to let his remarks short.

Eastern Press Criticism.

[San Diego Union.] The editors of some of the leading Eastern journals are amusing themselves and their readers by jeering at what they term the "ephemeral boom" in California. To read their polished articles one would suppose, if not directly informed, that the Golden State consisted of an aggregation of impassable mountains and arid plains, blistering under a tropic sun in summer and drenched with rudimentary clouds in the remainder of the year. Unlike our Eastern contemporaries, we prefer to have the truth told about the advantages and disadvantages of our State; and with due respect to the large-brained gentlemen who have undertaken to smash this section of the Union with their powerful pens, we object to having California held up to the national view as a State with few natural and permanent resources—nothing of sufficient stability to form the foundation of a great commonwealth. Brethren, leave your stifling sanctums in charge of more enlightened men, and come out here where you can see what forms the basis of the "ephemeral boom." Come and look at our "meager resources" and be convinced that California, aside from being the garden spot of the continent for the production of fruit, is destined to become the most prosperous and wealthy of all States. You will find some things too colossal to be overlooked: It will be your painful duty to cast your prejudiced optics over a couple of our mighty "arid" valleys that have produced only a small surplus of 40,000,000 bushels of wheat during the present season, to be sent to the four quarters of the globe to feed the hungry thousands; over mines that have poured their shining millions of gold and silver bullion into the treasuries of the world, and which are still enriched with untold wealth destined to increase the comforts of mankind; you will of necessity see our "frowning" mountains, deep-browed in the grandest of American forests, that are being turned into gold by the industry of our one-lunged citizens. Below these broad stretches of eternal green you will discern a scope of "worthless country" sweeping up to the mountains from our "arid valleys," and known as the "foothills," upon which, beneath our "blistering" sun, thrive the grape, olive, peach, apricot, prune, and all the other countless fruits of the temperate and semi-tropic zones. Then you may visit what you designate as our "desert" sections—the counties of Los Angeles, San Bernardino and San Diego—and find that same desert aflame with the brilliant colors of splendid flowers and fruits; on every side thrift and industry well rewarded; on hill and in dale, in valley and on plain, you will discern thousands on thousands of acres devoted to the rearing of the golden oranges, limes and lemons, for the citric lushness of which you and your carping contemporaries of that frost-bitten half-hat pay three prices, to say nothing of the miles of vines, the vineyards of which are drunk in every civilized country on the globe.

When you have seen these few meager resources, you will visit San Diego and find the coming metropolis of the Southwest, backed by a great and rich country on the east and north, and on the west a harbor that has but one rival on a coast line of over 1200 miles. In short, after you have learned that great railroad corporations are plying every nook and corner of this portion of the State with their steel railways for the purpose of bearing to other lands the products of our climate, and that boundless wealth, directed by brains, brawn and energy in pushing those "meager resources" with judicious expedition, that an irresistible tide of immigration from your own State is sweeping into this land, to take advantage of the opportunities here presented to the capitalist and home-seeker, you will kindly go home and confine yourself to telling the truth about us or to letting us strictly alone. We don't care which.

Hilarious Superstitions.

Some of the superstitions of the negroes of Trinidad Island are as ridiculous as they are silly. If you see a centipede, all that is necessary is to say, "St. Peter, St. Paul," three times and the creature is powerless to do you harm; or a black bracelet placed on the wrist of a child will keep off the power of the evil eye; then in the case of hiccups, two pieces of brown paper dampened and laid on the forehead in the form of a cross will bring speedy relief, writes a correspondent of the Columbus Dispatch. They are also firm believers in the power of the Obeah man. This fellow possesses a stick armed at one end with a skull. With the aid of this he can not only cure all aches and pains, but he can also bring them about; if you have an enemy, for example, of a trifling sum the Obeah man can bring him bad luck or maybe give him the toothache or tie. But probably the most ridiculous of all their superstitions is that there are certain individuals in league with the evil one, who have the power of casting their skins and flying around like balls of fire, in which they suck the blood of their enemies. Now the only escape from this dire calamity is to find the skin—which they generally hide under a chocolate mortar—and sprinkle salt upon it. They can even cite instances of when the skin has been found, and when they went after the salt they returned only to find that it had disappeared during their absence. Good Friday the people march through the streets rattling castanets to scare the devil, and the Portuguese burn Judas Iscariot in effigy.

The Parisian Palace of the Rothschilds.

[Paris Letter to the New York World.]

It is situated in the Avenue Friedland, and was built in 1879 from plans made by the father of George Olmet, author of the "La Maitre de Forges." This architect dying, the work developed upon one of his pupils, who has rendered himself famous by the splendor of the Rothschild mansion. Ascending marble steps, we enter an immense hall, with monumental fireplace and circular gallery, with carved balustrade. The dome is of stained glass and lighted by electricity. From this hall doors and arches lead in all directions, and the staircase which conducts to the second story is superb in form and decoration. One door in the hall leads into the Louis XVI. gallery, hung with priceless tapestries. The panels and ceiling are painted to rival the finest palaces in Europe. Another door leads to the boudoir of the Baroness, which is a study in blue and gold. Besides this is a library, showing traces of a scholar's hand in all its arrangements. Then there are reception-rooms, an immense ballroom and a saloon of curiosities, where are exhibited behind glass doors all the art treasures collected by the late Baron Solomon. The dining-room, although enormous, is very simple. Its attraction is that it opens into a conservatory, which in reality is small, but by a trick of mirrors its size is increased tenfold and the tropical plants are multiplied by hundreds. From the dining-room one sees a vista of plants and flowers without limit. The garden is one of the choicest in Paris because of its statuary and fountains.

The Phelps Family in London.

The wife of Minister Phelps is a striking-looking woman and receives her guests with great ease and cordiality. She is about the medium height, with a full, round figure. Her nose is nearly straight and her mouth is very small and pleasant in expression. Her eyes are a soft gray, full of expression, and showing a great appreciation of fun when she laughs. Her hair, which is almost white, was arranged in small, short, soft rings about her face and over the top of her head. At the back it was twisted into a soft coil. Mrs. Phelps wore a plain black silk, the neck cut square and filled in with white silk tulle. In her hand she carried a long shell-handled mince. She wore dark tan mousquetaire gloves, but no jewelry of any kind. Charles Phelps, her son, who is Second Secretary of the Legation, was with his mother yesterday assisting her in entertaining her visitors. He is a tall, young fellow of about 23. His figure is very slight, he being in build very much like his father, except that he stands very straight, while the Minister stoops quite badly. Young Mr. Phelps is quite dark like his father, his eyes are gray, like his mother's. He wears a small dark brown mustache.

Liton Springs College, Sonoma County, Cal. This is the only school in the State that is wholly removed from the temptations of town. The location is elevated and healthful. The grounds embrace about 1000 acres of fine wooded hills and rolling land. Besides the fine mineral springs the school has its own vineyard and dairy. Great care is bestowed upon the health of pupils, and no death has ever taken place in the school. The highest honors ever won by Californians at the great colleges of the East have been won by graduates of this institution. Rev. Mr. Nevins, Mr. F. A. Walton, Mrs. D. W. Bigelow and ex-Gov. Stoneman are well acquainted with the character and worth of the school, and they would doubtless reply to inquiries regarding it. Next term opens on Monday, August 1st. John Gamble, Ph.D., Principal.

Booming Vernon. Messrs. J. D. Bicknell, E. F. Kysor, D. G. Stevens, C. E. Day, F. A. Gibson and E. T. Wright, the owners of Los Angeles and Vernon Street Railway, will push the construction of the same and have the cars running at the earliest possible date. Their magnificent Central Park tract is now on sale. They have placed a telephone at the Kysor residence so that purchasers who select their lots can report the sale to the general agents. Carriages will leave at 10 a.m. and at 2 p.m. daily for the tract, from the agents, Day, Hinton & Mathes, No. 8 North Spring street.

The Central Park Tract Is well named, for with the completion of the Los Angeles and Santa Monica Railroad, also the Los Angeles and Vernon-street Railway (which is only a question of a few weeks) residents in that vicinity can travel direct to Long Beach, Palmdale, Santa Monica, San Diego, as well as direct to the center of the city. In fact, you can travel from all parts of the world direct to the beautiful Central Park tract.

Hiscock & Smith's Second Addition Went on sale Saturday noon, the 24th inst., and less than one hour twenty-three lots were sold. Reason: They are selling them from \$300 to \$350 per lot cheaper than lots are now selling half a mile further south. Call at their office, No. 34 North Spring street, and be convinced.

Cheap Real Estate. A chance to make \$40,000. Buy one of the finest improved places in the city, near the new depot, and horse-cars to run by the property. Easy terms, low price. 45 acres on the corner of Washington and Wolskill streets. Apply to Charles Victor Hall, 41 South Spring street, hours 9 to 12.

Dots. J. W. Davis, proprietor, druggist. UNFERMENTED wine at J. W. Davis's. COAL and wood, hay and grain. Holmes & Scott removed to 121 1/2 South Spring street, McGavin building. Yards and branch office Eighth and Spring.

Mrs. Dr. Wells, Woman Specialist. The first lady licentiate of Kentucky, many years successful practice in prostatic and uterine diseases, leucorrhoea, ovarian disease, irregularities—relief and radical change from the first treatment. No. 34 S. Spring st.

Last Week —at— No. 34 S. Spring st. Lots \$100 each.

Grand free concert by Seventh Infantry Battalion Band at Armory Hall, August 3d.

Handsome Lithograph Free. Send to Graham & Collier Wildomar Ca.

Boston Wall Paper House. Swart & Whomes, 113 South Spring.

BANKS.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS' BANK.

ESTABLISHED IN 1885.

Capital and Reserve Fund, \$100,000.

Total, \$1,000,000.

Isaiah W. Hellman, President.

J. C. Goodwin, Vice-President.

JOHN MICHEL, Cashier.

Isaiah W. Hellman, John E. Griffin, O. W. Childs, C. E. Thom, Phil Garner, J. B. Lankershim, C. Ducommun, Jose Mascar.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Of Los Angeles.

CAPITAL STOCK, \$200,000.

SURPLUS, 100,000.

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GEO. H. BONEBRAKE, JOHN BRYSON, JR., President, Vice-President.

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10 acres adjoining townsite of Glendale.

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60 acres, one-half mile from Garden Grove, in the arroyo belt, only \$100 per acre.

5 acres, corner Alameda street and Broadway. MUST BE SOLD.

In the city we have choice lots in Judson tract.

Fine lots in Longstreet tract.

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Two lots on Ninth street, cheap.

Three lots on Los Angeles street, near Pico.

One lot on Pico street (Williamson tract), cheap.

Fine lots in Bunker Hill tract.

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Fine lots near Belmont Hotel at a bargain.

Several houses in desirable localities.

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WONDERS OF MICROSCOPY.

An authority on the subject—Wonders and Fictions of the Study. An authority on microscopy, in conversation with a New York Mail and Express reporter, said of its wonders: "Probably the most wonderful was the writing of Webb and Peters. They wrote the Lord's prayer and the Commandments with a diamond in letters so fine that if the whole Bible were written in the same proportion, it might be written twelve times on a square inch. This writing I have myself seen, and I believe one such slide is in the Army Museum at Washington at the present time. I have the Lord's Prayer written in letters so small that if the whole Bible were written in the same proportion it could be put on the half of a postal card. I have also seen the Declaration of Independence, the framework of which is composed of portraits of the signers, reduced so small by micro-photography that to the naked eye it is no larger than a pinhead.

"One of the most celebrated uses to which the microscope has been put was during the Franco-Prussian war. It was easy enough to get out of Paris, you remember, by balloons, but very difficult to get back. Well, those who went out and who wished to communicate with their friends in the city, used carrier-pigeons with them. In London and elsewhere these people had their letters printed on a large sheet. This was photographed and reduced to one inch square. Then the reduced size, on collodion film, was rolled and put into a crow's quill, and the quill was tied to the midfeather of the pigeon's tail. Then the bird was sent flying home to Paris. The film was unrolled and the letters deciphered under a microscope. Several hundred different messages would be sent on one of these pieces, which were afterward copied and sent to those to whom they were addressed.

"I want to say a word about the popular notion that every drop of water teems with animalcules, and that when placed under the microscope it will appear to be literally filled with living things. This idea is fostered by popular writers, who describe a drop of water as a globe filled with life, and by lecturers, who exhibit pictures and enlarged images of what they call a drop of water, but which is in reality a considerable quantity of that liquid which has been artificially supplied with inhabitants. Clear well water is almost free from microscopic organisms, and the same is true of the water from clear brooks."

Lemons and Longevity.

(Brooklyn Magazine.) Dr. Otto Fullgraff, who founded the old Bond-street dispensary, in New York, and recently removed from 33 Irving place, where he had his office for twenty years, to 6 Lexington avenue, opposite Mayor Hewitt's residence, believes that there is a wonderful deal of virtue in lemons. Dr. Fullgraff numbers his years by three score and three, but looks not a day over 50. "In 1875," said he, "I began drinking lemonade regularly, taking the entire juice of two or three lemons at a time in an ordinary goblet of water, with a small teaspoonful of sugar for each lemon, after rinsing my mouth with clear water to remove the acid and sugar from teeth and gums. With rare exceptions, I have now taken lemonade in this way four times daily for twelve years—upon rising in the morning, about 1 o'clock p.m., half an hour before dinner, and upon retiring at night; and whenever my professional duties prevented it, I have felt at once the absence of the lemon juice in my system. I take only two meals daily, but consume besides a considerable quantity of the fruits of the season, such as grapes, peaches, melons, oranges, etc. I have no taste for and do not use ale, porter, wine or spirits. Formerly my ordinary weight was about 150 pounds, my height being as now, 5 feet 7 inches. For several years past I have weighed in the neighborhood of 100 pounds without feeling the slightest inconvenience therefrom. I enjoy practically perfect health, my step is quick and firm, my nerves are steady as a rock and I have all the vigor of youth. During the forty-three years of my residence in New York I have not been out of the city altogether more than six months, and I have been in uninterrupted active practice for over thirty years. For twelve years past I have indulged freely in surf bathing in the summer. My head is not bald and there is very little gray in my hair. I am stronger, both physically and mentally, than I was twenty years ago, and am taken by everybody to be ten or fifteen years younger than I am. While I attribute these favorable conditions largely to the use of some 3000 lemons a year, I have not 'lemons on the brain.' My patients frequently ask if I would benefit them to drink lemonade as I do. The answer must necessarily depend upon the appearance, temperament, condition, etc., of the questioner. I do not think that lemon juice is injurious to anybody, but would not advise that my example should be followed indiscriminately. People are apt to rush to extremes and do some very foolish things when any new idea is advanced—although for that matter, lemons have been in domestic use for ages. The trouble is that they have been used too sparingly or in the wrong way. After all that I have taken, I cannot even now suck a piece of lemon or relish it without the addition of sugar and water. Hence I naturally conclude that the best way to take it is in the shape of lemonade."

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came King of the Belgians, as Leopold I, in 1831. Another of these cousins, Prince Albert, married Queen Victoria, and became the father of the future King of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India. His uncle, Prince Ferdinand, married the Queen of Portugal, and he was King-Regent of Portugal during the minority of the present King. Afterward he solaced himself for the loss of his royal bride by marrying Mlle. Hensler, of danseuse. His father, Prince Augustus, did excellently in the marrying way, his wife, the young Prince's mother, being a daughter of Louis Philippe, King of France. His eldest brother is the son-in-law of Leopold II, King of the Belgians; another brother married the daughter of Dom Pedro II, Emperor of Brazil. His sisters are the wives, respectively, of the Archduke Joseph of Austria and Duke Maximilian of Bavaria. The young Prince now chosen to the Bulgarian throne is only 27 years old and unmarried. If the powers allow him to accept the proffered gift he will find a princess ready to share his throne without difficulty. If they do not, perhaps he might marry Ransalvo III, Queen of Madagascar.

Another Snare for Innocent Youth.

(San Francisco Report.) The tall and slender young woman has found a new and pretty way to arrange her summer sash. The tie, the loop and the twist are so coquettish that coat buttons and canes become willingly involved in the intricate but graceful mesh. These sashes, on morning jaunts and twilight rides, are responsible for lots of late breakfasts and behind-time teas. They catch in the bushes, you know, and his fingers being all thumbs, why, of course—well, it takes time to free the fluffy scarf. It is not absolutely necessary that tall and slender maid should twist the loops. Short maids and plump maids can work quite as effectively with the silken net. Only it happened that a long and willowy maid put up this latest fashion note.

A Robber Badly Sold.

It is very seldom that one finds a just appreciation of self stated with such simplicity as by a very English young man, who was giving an account of his travels. "Yes, indeed, Miss Clara," said he, "I have been in great perils, don't you know! One time on a railway train out West, don't you know, we were stopped by the train robbers, don't you know, and one fellow, a terrible brigand he was, you know, he put his pistol to my head, and he said: 'Your money or your brains!' and 'pon me soul, Miss Clara, I had nothing for him!'"

Transition.

If you are contemplating a trip to Mexico, says a correspondent of the Troy Times, the sooner you make it the better. Everything is in a transition state. Old things are fast passing away, and not only the ancient landmarks, but customs and traditions which gave the country its greatest charm are disappearing like dew before the morning sun. This is especially noticeable in the picturesque costumes of the country, which are fast being discarded for American fashions.

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In offering this beautiful town we have made prices that are sure to advance 50 to 100 per cent. inside of thirty days.

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The soil is exceedingly fertile, the water marvellously clear and pure and piped all through the tract.

Giant live and white oaks scattered over the slope exceed in beauty the famed English oaks. Beautiful orchards of peaches, pines, oranges, lemons and olive cover miles of the adjacent country. The whole picture is a scene of loveliness unsurpassed in California.

THERMALTO will be only ten minutes' drive from Oroville; the mining town is deeply interested in its welfare, and it is believed that Thermalto will be the great fruit packing and shipping depot of this fertile region, embracing thousands of acres of the finest fruit land on earth.

The tract is subdivided most liberally, the majority of the lots being 50 feet front and 100 to 150 feet deep, and also two, five and ten-acre lots.

The streets are graded. Immediately connecting at Higgs or Gridley, and there a connection will be made with the great California and Oregon and semi-monthly excursions will be run from Los Angeles and way stations to Thermalto.

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I have now on the way from a street railroad to Garanza in this city. I sell in all my colonies lands for 10 per cent. cash and balance in monthly or semi-monthly installments; build houses to suit purchasers, and as far as possible provide work for all hands.

I will guarantee 100 new residences will be built in Garanza in the next twelve months. A new seminary will soon be built, and will have a lumber yard started in ten days. A large number of the lots are owned by San Gabriel Valley Railroad and Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Co. to be built within six months. Call in and take a look at our New York tract; also, our special house donation sales in Glendale.

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860—Each for lots in Electric tract, on Twelfth street.

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880—Per foot. Lot 25x165, Upper Main st.

890—Per foot. Lot 35x170, running back to New High.

900—Lots on Temple street \$450 to \$2500 each.

Choice lots on Angelino Heights, \$750 to \$2500.

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9200—Three cottages and ten lots on Boyle Heights, on streetcar line. Money in this.

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9600—Per acre—14 acres, 4 miles from Cucamonga station.

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